THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Applicants: Masahiro OKAJIMA, et al.) Group: Not yet assigned Examiner: Not yet assigned Serial No.: 10/803,469 Our Ref: B-5403 621791-4 Filed: March 17, 2004 For: "EMULSION COMPOSITE" ) Date: January 18, 2005 CLAIM TO PRIORITY UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119 MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

[X] Applicants hereby make a right of priority claim under 35 U.S.C. 119 for the benefit of the filing date(s) of the following corresponding foreign application(s):

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SERIAL NUMBER

JAPAN

7 November 2003

2003-378756

- [ ] A certified copy of each of the above-noted patent applications was filed with the Parent Application No.\_
- [X] To support applicant's claim, a certified copy of the above-identified foreign patent application is enclosed herewith.
- The priority document will be forwarded to the Patent Office when required or prior to issuance.

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#### Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (Filing Date Granted) dated November 17, 2004, a set of replacement drawings (3 sheets of Figs. 1-5) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 is enclosed herewith.

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#### COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

Responsive to office letter dated 11/17/2004 (copy attached). response is being filed on the first business day after a federal holiday (January 17, 2005).

DECLARATION OR OATH

Please find enclosed the executed Declaration/Power signed by the [X] inventors.

TRANSLATION

Please find enclosed a verified English translation of the [X]application and a statement that the translation is accurate.

REPLACEMENT DRAWINGS

Please find enclosed a set of replacement drawings (3 sheets of [X] Figs. 1-5) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and a separate cover sheet.

#### PRIORITY CLAIM

Please find enclosed a Claim to Priority with Certified Copy of Japanese Appln. No. 2003-378756.

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# NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

  Applicant must submit \$ 790 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) (see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1)). See Figure(s) 1& 2.

## **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

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01 FC:2001 02 FC:2051 03 FC:1053 Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1050 for a Large Entity

• \$790 Statutory basic filing fee.

• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

• \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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